| UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT<br>SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK |                  |                      |
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| IN RE VEECO INSTRUMENTS INC.<br>SECURITIES LITIGATION         | x<br>:<br>:<br>: | 05 MD 1695 (CM)(GAY) |
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## MEMORANDUM OF LAW IN SUPPORT OF DEFENDANTS' MOTION IN LIMINE TO PRECLUDE EVIDENCE REGARDING VEECO'S USE OF FISCAL QUARTERS

## (FILED UNDER SEAL PURSUANT TO CONFIDENTIALITY ORDER DATED MAY 16, 2006)

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